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The Honorable Julius Genachowski, Chairman  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: MB Docket No. 10-56 – Joint Partnership Proposal of Comcast and NBC Universal**

Dear Chairman Genachowski:

As you and your fellow FCC Commissioners review the joint partnership proposal of Comcast and NBC Universal, please take into consideration my support for this endeavor and high regard for the solid corporate citizenship Comcast exemplifies in the great City of Pittsburgh where I serve as a President of the City Council. The local office of Comcast supports our City, our nonprofits, and our communities in many ways.

I feel certain that this pending partnership will prove to be in the public's best interest. Combining Comcast and NBC Universal will create a competitive, strong entity, which should better be able to provide a strong communications and entertainment company, important to our citizens.

Comcast assures us that there will be a clear commitment toward expanded children's programming, parental content rating information and diverse programming. The combined company with interests in Telemundo, Mun2, TVOne and extensive channel offerings serving distinct viewers, they assure us, will be a leader in diversity programming.

Comcast employees live, work, and volunteer in our communities. Comcast provides access to such localized programming as area high school football rivalries On Demand and Fugitive Files On Demand, which garners tips from the public for finding our most wanted fugitives, in addition to our City Cable Channel.

Comcast's employees are also always willing to meet and work through issues with my constituents. I take this as a representation of a good corporate neighbor.

Again, this merger holds the promise of great opportunity. It is good for the consumer, competition and the economy. I urge you to encourage serious consideration of the affirmation of the Comcast/NBCU union.

Sincerely,

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